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Lafayette, Louisiana  
September 15, 2004

Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Office of Conservation  
Post Office Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A  
**Vernon Field**, Jackson Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORPORATION** for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, for which rules and regulations were established and drilling and production units were created for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate by the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders, including the unit designated **LCV RA SUO**:

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize its **Causey 14 No. 2 Well** as an additional alternate unit well for the LCV RA SUO, at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain that portion of the reservoir covered by the LCV RA SUO.
3. To permit the operator to produce the unit allowable at a rate equal to the combined rate at which the unit well and the alternate unit well or wells are capable of efficiently producing, in accordance with the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B-4, effective June 14, 1994.

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4. Except to the extent herein set forth, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of the 798-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders, the units created thereby, and applicable statewide orders.

5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B-23, effective January 22, 2002.

The applicant is requesting permission to drill, designate and utilize its Causey 14 No. 2 Well as an additional alternate unit well for the LCV RA SUO at the location shown on the attached plat. This well will permit efficient and economic recovery of hydrocarbons underlying such unit, will not adversely affect the adjacent offsetting units, and is needed to satisfy the market demand for gas and condensate from the field.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposal along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check on behalf of the applicant, Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, in the amount of \$755.00 **made payable to the Office of Conservation** and representing the required hearing application fee .

Very truly yours,



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

RWRjr/dbf  
Enclosures

cc: Mr. James Broussard, Shreveport District Office of Conservation  
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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ANADARKO PET CORP  
WILLAMETTE 11; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
BARR 12; 1

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS LUMBER 11; 1

ANADARKO PET CORP  
ROBINSON 11; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
CONE ROBERT 12; 1

ANADARKO PET CORP  
EWING 12; 1 ALT

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ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS J; 7 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
WEYERHAEUSER 11; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS HEIRS 12; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS HEIRS 12; 3 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
BARR ARLISS 12; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
ROBINSON 11; 2 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS HEIRS 12; 2-ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
BARR 12A; 1 ALT

LCV RA SU O

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ANADARKO PET CORP  
WATSON 11; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
ROBINSON; 1

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS Q; 3 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS Q; 6 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS J; 12 ALT

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DAVIS BROS Q; 5 ALT

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DAVIS BROS Q; 4 ALT

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DAVIS BROS Q; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS Q; 2 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS Q; 7 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
ARLISS ETAL 13; 2 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
CAUSEY 14; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
CAUSEY 14; 2 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
MCCONNELL EST 14; 2 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
GRANROSE 14; 1 ALT

ANADARKO PET CORP  
DAVIS BROS 13; 2 ALT

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Jackson Parish, LA

# Historical

- OIL
- ✱ GAS
- ✱ O&G
- ✧ DRY
- ⊙ Drilling
- ✧ ABND/SUSP
- LOC/Other

0 1000 Feet



- Sections Lines
- ▬ LCV RA SUO Unit Boundary
- △ Proposed Alternate Unit Well
- Current Unit Well
- ◇ Authorized Alt. Unit Well
- Revised BHL

1,500' Radius from Location

**Anadarko**  
Petroleum Corporation

Vernon Field  
Jackson Parish, Louisiana

Application for Alternate Well Authority and  
Exception Location  
LCV RA SUO; Causey 14; 2 Alt

Date: August 2004  
Project: suo causey 14 2

By: C. McIlvain